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Authorization To Treat A Reply As Incorporating An Extension Of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3)

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Sir:

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to treat any concurrent or future reply that requires a petition for an extension of time under this paragraph for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time. The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge all required extension of time fees to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036, if such fees are not otherwise provided for in such reply.

Respectfully submitted,

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- b. A specification containing:
  - i. 10 pages of description prior to the claims;
  - ii. <u>3 pages of claims (12 claims);</u>
  - iii. a one (1) page abstract;
- c. 10 sheets of drawings: (Figures 1-3, 4A-4B and 5-10);
- d. An original executed Declaration;
- e. Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet;
- f. An original executed Assignment;
- 5. Petition For Expedited Handling Of Foreign Filing License Under 37 C.F.R. § 5.11 *Et Seq.*
- 7. Form PTO-2038 Credit Card Payment Form for \$920.00 to cover:

\$750.00 filing fee for patent application;

\$130.00 Petitions to the Commissioner;

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It is respectfully requested that, of the two attached postcards, one be stamped with the filing date of these documents and returned to our courier, and the other, prepaid postcard, be stamped with the filing date and unofficial application number and returned as soon as possible.

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

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Re: U.S. Non-Provisional Patent Appl

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Inventors: Jiang et al.

Our Ref: 1875.3460001/RES/GSB

Sir:

The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

- 1. PTO Utility Patent Application Transmittal (Form PTO/SB/05);
- 2. Authorization to Treat a Reply As Incorporating An Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3);
- 3. PTO Fee Transmittal (Form PTO/SB/17);
- 4. U.S. Utility Patent Application entitled:

### High-Speed Low-Distortion Analog-To-Digital Converter

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a. An Application Data Sheet (37 C.F.R. § 1.76);

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# Petition For Expedited Handling Of Foreign Filing License Under 37 C.F.R. § 5.11 Et Seq.

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is hereby petitioned that a Foreign Filing License be granted in an expedited manner for the above-referenced application. Applicants, whose addresses are: (1) Xicheng Jiang, residing at: 1 Silent Night, Irvine, CA 92612, (2) Zhengyu Wang, residing at: 3178 Barrington Avenue, No. H., Los Angeles, CA 90066, and (3) Frank Chang, residing at: 10112 Hollow Glen Circle, Los Angeles, CA 90077, desire to file immediately one or more international applications directed to subject matter that is described in the application.

Applicants desire to seek immediate patent protection for the invention by filing corresponding patent applications abroad. A foreign filing license is necessary in order to file abroad. It is therefore respectfully requested that a foreign filing license be granted on an expedited basis.

The parent application has been filed on September 3, 2002. Also, the Non-Provisional application has not been filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, but is filed herewith, so that this Petition is formally submitted under 37 C.F.R. § 5.13.

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A copy of the U.S. Non-Provisional application (filed herewith) is attached to this Petition. It is respectfully requested that the undersigned be telephoned with the decision on this Petition immediately after it has been acted upon. Do not hesitate to contact the undersigned if there should be any questions concerning this request.

Please telephone the undersigned to pick up the foreign filing license, when granted.

Our Credit Card Payment for the required fee of \$130.00 (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h)) is attached. The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

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